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In re Application of

Appleby, et al.

Serial No.: 09/916,513

Group Art Unit: 2112

Filed: July 30, 2001

Examiner: Huynh, K.

For: METHOD, SYSTEM, AND PROGRAM PRODUCTS FOR DISTRIBUTED CONTENT
THROTTLING IN A COMPUTING ENVIRONMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.181 THAT A COMPLETE
RESPONSE BE PROVIDED
IN ACCORDANCE WITH MPEP §707.07(f)

Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.181 that the USPTO provide a complete response, in accordance with MPEP §707.07(f), to Applicants' response dated June 22, 2005, in the above-identified Application.

In that response, Applicants specifically requested that the Examiner place on record a specific component in the primary reference, US Patent 6,434,609 to Humphrey, that satisfies the plain meaning of the independent claims. In the Office Action mailed September 1, 2005, the Examiner completely ignored this request and failed to provide such key information.

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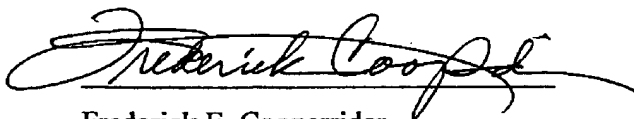
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As indicated in the concurrently-filed Request for Reconsideration Under 37 CFR §1.116, this information is absolutely necessary for prosecution to continue, including an Appeal.

For at least the reasons outlined above, Applicant petitions that the USPTO provide a complete response to the Applicants' previous response for the above-identified Application.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 11/1/05

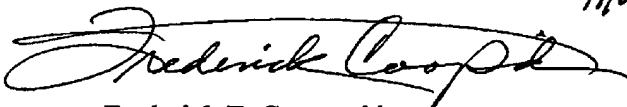


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I certify that I transmitted, via facsimile to (571) 273-8300, this Petition Under 37 CFR §1.181 That a Complete Response be Provided in Accordance with MPEP §707.07(f) to Examiner K. Huynh on November 1, 2005.

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